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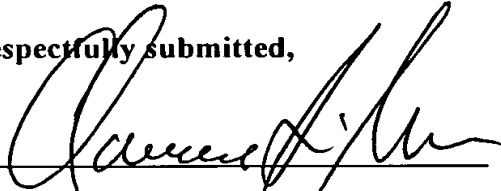
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The above-identified patent application claims priority to Finnish Patent Application No. 991167 filed 24 May 1999. Applicants' attorney encloses a copy of a Finnish Official Action issued on the priority Finnish Patent Application No. 991167. The Office Action cited United States Patent Nos.: 5,537,597; 5,553,223 and PCT International Publication No. WO 97/20431.

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